

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency
Washington, DC 20250

Notice PS-372

For: State and County Offices

**Processing Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program (WAMLAP) Applications
and Payments Using Software in County Release No. 444**

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A

Background

The Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 provides for a Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program (WAMLAP) where the Secretary shall use CCC funds to make payments to producers of wool and mohair for the 1999 marketing year.

B

Purpose

This notice provides instructions for:

- processing applications
- issuing WAMLAP payments to qualified producers for pounds of:
 - shorn wool
 - shorn mohair
- printing stored WAMLAP payment data.

Warning: County Offices **shall not** process any WAMLAP applications or payments according to this notice until authorized to do so by a future LD notice.

Disposal Date

October 1, 2001

Distribution

State Offices; State Offices relay to County
Offices

2 Important Basic WAMLAP Information

A

Basic Facts

WAMLAP:

- program year is “00”
 - payment involves NO payment or quantity limitations
 - involves these payments and payment rates:
 - shorn wool at \$0.20 per pound
 - shorn mohair at \$0.40 per pound
 - payments **are** subject to assignment, setoff, or both and may be reduced to pay an established claim or receivable
 - may involve refused payments
 - payments shall be made to “producers” and **not** to “operations”
 - transactions are **not** re-accessible.
-

B

Program Codes

WAMLAP program codes are:

- “00WAMLAPW” for wool
 - “00WAMLAPM” for mohair.
-

3 Getting Started With WAMLAP Processing

A

Accessing Processing Menu Follow this table to access the WAMLAP Processing Menu.

Step	Action	Result
1	On Application Selection Menu FAX07001: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENTER "13", "Price Support" PRESS "Enter". 	Price Support Main Menu PCA005 will be displayed.
2	On Menu PCA005: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENTER "10", "Perform Special Functions" PRESS "Enter". 	Special Price Support Functions Processing Menu PCA000 will be displayed.
3	On Menu PCA000: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENTER "5", "Perform Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program (WAMLAP) Functions" PRESS "Enter". 	WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

3 Getting Started With WAMLAP Processing (Continued)

B Processing Menu PWA000

This is an example of Menu PWA000 for processing WAMLAP.

COMMAND	PWA000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE PAYMENT - PROCESSING MENU	

1. Entering Wool Application Data and Issuing Payment	
2. Entering Mohair Application Data and Issuing Payment	
*3. Entering Unshorn Lambs Application Data and Issuing Payment	
4. Canceling WAMLAP Payables	
*5. Recording WAMLAP Overpayments/Underpayments	
*6. Reserved	
7. Print Stored WAMLAP Payment Data	
*8. Issue Canceled WAMLAP Payments	
21. Return to Application Selection Menu	
22. Return to Office Selection Menu	
23. Return to Primary Selection Menu	
24. Sign Off	
Enter option and press the "Enter" key	
Cmd3=Previous Menu	

Installation of **County Release No. 444** activates option:

- "1" to process wool payments, see paragraph 4
- "2" to process mohair payments, see paragraph 5
- "4" to cancel payables, see paragraph 6
- "7" to print "stored" data, see paragraph 8.

A future release will activate options:

- "5" to record WAMLAP overpayments/underpayments, see paragraph 7
 - "8" to issue canceled WAMLAP payments.
-

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function

A

Wool Producer Data

To enter **WAMLAP - Wool** application data, on WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000, ENTER “1”, “Entering Wool Application Data and Issuing Payment”, and PRESS “Enter”. Screen PWA03500 will be displayed and allow the user to identify the **contact** producer whose wool data will be entered.

This is an example of Screen PWA03500 for entering basic **contact** producer information.

077-MARTINDALE		PWA03500
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET ASSISTANCE		Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term C5
<hr/>		
Enter Contact Producer's Last Name	WOOL	or
Contact Producer's ID (Numeric)		and (Optional) Type (S, I, E or T) . .
Program Year 2000	WAMLAP Number	New
Press “Enter” To Continue Cmd3=Previous Menu Cmd7=End of Job		

On Screen PWA03500:

- program year “2000” will be system-displayed and cannot be changed
- “**WAMLAP** number” field will default to “New” and cannot be changed
- **WAMLAP** number will be system-assigned and cannot be changed.

After completing entries on Screen PWA03500, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA03510 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

B

Wool Producer Verification

This is an example of Screen PWA03510 on which **contact** producer information will be system-displayed for verification.

077-MARTINDALE			
PWA03510			
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET ASSISTANCE/Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term C5			
Contact Producer's Last Name	WOOL	Producer's ID	222 22 2222 S
Program Year	2000	WAMLAP Number	1
Contact Producer's Name	(First Middle Last Suffix)		
BOB WOOL			
Producer's Address	RR 1 BOX 74		
	PHILLIP, MS 38950-9603		
Is this the correct producer? (Y or N) . .			
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Menu Cmd7=End of Job			

After verifying producer information, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA01000 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

C Wool Screen PWA01000

This is an example of Screen PWA01000 that will display the following information:

- WAMLAP payment year
- question, “Does this WAMLAP Application have multiple producers?”.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA01000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
BOB WOOL	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance (WAMLAP) for payment year: 2000		
Does this WAMLAP Application have multiple producers? (Y or N) . .		
Press “Enter” To Continue Cmd7=End of Job		

If the answer is:

- “N”, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA15000 will be displayed; go to subparagraph F
- “Y”, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA02000 will be displayed; go to subparagraph D.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

D

Wool Multiple Producers

This is an example of Screen PWA02000 for recording **WAMLAP** multiple producers.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA02000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
BOB WOOL	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
Enter the Last Name or ID Number for the producer who will share in the proceeds of this WAMLAP .		
Last Name		
ID Number (Numeric)		
Are there additional producers? (Y or N) . .		
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job		

After all multiple producer entries have been recorded on Screen PWA02000, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA02500 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

E

Wool Multiple Producer Shares and Refused Payments

This is an example of Screen PWA02500 for:

- recording **WAMLAP** multiple producer shares
- flagging producers for refused payment.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA02500
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-0-00 14:06 Term	C5

BOB WOOL	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
-----------------	--------------	-------------------

Enter each producer's share in this **WAMLAP** as a whole percentage.
Total **WAMLAP** Percent to be allocated: 100

NAME	PERCENTAGE (%)	REFUSED PYMT
BOB WOOL	50	N
RICH SOCKS	50	N

Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job

On Screen PWA02500:

- shares must be entered as a whole percentage and total 100 percent
- user may flag a producer on this payment for refused payment by changing default "N" flag to "Y"
- after completing entries, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA15000 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

F **Pounds of Wool** **Screen**

This is an example of Screen PWA15000 for entering pounds of **wool**.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA15000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
BOB WOOL	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
Enter the Pounds of Wool for this WAMLAP :		
<u>Program Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Shorn Wool</u>	
2000	10,000,000	
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job		
<hr/>		

After completing entries on Screen PWA15000, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA15005 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

G

Wool Payment Summary Screen PWA15005

This is an example of Screen PWA15005 that will display:

- **WAMLAP** payment summary data, as shown
- the question, “Do you want to complete this payment?”.

SIGN-UP		077-MARTINDALE		PWA15005	
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE		Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term C5			
BOB WOOL		PY 00	WAMLAP	#	1
WAMLAP Payment Summary					
<u>Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Shorn Wool</u>	<u>Payment Rate</u>	<u>Payment Amount</u>		
2000	10,000,000	\$0.20	\$2,000.00		
Do you want to complete this payment? Y or N					
Press “Enter” To Continue		Cmd3=Previous Screen		Cmd7=End of Job	

If the answer is:

- “Y”, the WAMLAP application payment statement for wool will be printed
- “N”, the WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be re-displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

4 Processing Wool Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

H Payment Statement

This is an example of WAMLAP application/payment statement for **wool**.

Note: Continuation sheets of this statement will be printed automatically at the selected printer until all producers' information has been printed.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Commodity Credit Corporation WAMLAP Application/Payment Statement for Wool			
Name & Address of Contact	Program	St. & Co. Codes	
BOB WOOL RR 1 BOX 74 SOMETOWN, ZZ 33333-3333	WAMLAP	28-083	
<p>This Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program payment has been calculated based on information provided on form CCC-1155 filed by the producer(s) shown below.</p>			
WAMLAP Number:	00001		
Payment Year:	2000		
Transaction Date:	10-01-00		
Total Payments:	\$2,000.00		
<u>Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Wool</u>	<u>Payment Amount</u>	
2000	10,000,000	\$2,000.00	
PRODUCER	ID NUMBER	SHARE	WAMLAP AMOUNT
BOB WOOL	222 22 2222	50 %	\$1,000.00
WARREN SOCKS	777 77 7777	50 %	\$1,000.00
	DATE	NAME & ADDRESS OF COUNTY FSA OFFICE	
		Martindale County FSA Office Box 66, RD # 1 Martindale, ZZ 99992-9987	
<p>This program or activity will be conducted on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or disability.</p>			

When the payment process ends, WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be re-displayed.

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function

A

Mohair Producer Data

To enter **WAMLAP Mohair** application data, on WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000, ENTER “2”, “Entering MOHAIR Application Data and Issuing Payment”, and PRESS “Enter”. Screen PWA03500 will be displayed and will allow the user to identify the **contact** producer whose mohair data will be entered.

This is an example of Screen PWA03500 for entering basic **contact** producer information.

077-MARTINDALE		PWA03500	
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE		Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term C5	
<hr/>			
Enter Contact Producer's Last Name		MOHAIR	
		or	
Contact Producer's ID (Numeric)	and	(Optional) Type (S, I, E or T) . .
Program Year	2000	WAMLAP Number New
<hr/>			
Press “Enter” To Continue Cmd3=Previous Menu Cmd7=End of Job			

On Screen PWA03500:

- program year “2000” will be system-displayed and cannot be changed
- “**WAMLAP** number” field will default to “New” and cannot be changed
- **WAMLAP** number will be system-assigned and cannot be changed.

After completing entries on Screen PWA03500, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA03510 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

B

Mohair Producer Verification

This is an example of Screen PWA03510 on which **contact** producer information will be system-displayed for verification.

077-MARTINDALE		PWA03510
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE		Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term C5
Contact Producer's Last Name	MOHAIR	Producer's ID 222 22 2222 S
Program Year 2000	WAMLAP Number 1	
Contact Producer's Name	(First Middle Last Suffix)	
	MILLIE MOHAIR	
Producer's Address	RR 1 BOX 74 PHILLIP, MS 38950-9603	
Is this the correct producer? (Y or N) . .		
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Menu Cmd7=End of Job		

After verifying producer information, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA01000 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

C Mohair Screen PWA01000

This is an example of Screen PWA01000 that will display the following information:

- WAMLAP payment year
- question, “Does this WAMLAP Application have multiple producers?”.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA01000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
MILLIE MOHAIR	PY 2000	WAMLAP # 1
Wool And Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program (WAMLAP) for payment year: 2000		
Does this WAMLAP Application have multiple producers? (Y or N) . .		
Press “Enter” To Continue Cmd7=End of Job		

If the answer is:

- “N”, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA25000 will be displayed; go to subparagraph F
- “Y”, PRESS “Enter”, and Screen PWA02000 will be displayed; go to subparagraph D.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

D

Mohair Multiple Producers

This is an example of Screen PWA02000 for recording **WAMLAP** multiple producers.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA02000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
MILLIE MOHAIR	PY 2000	WAMLAP # 1
Enter the Last Name or ID Number for the producer who will share in the proceeds of this WAMLAP .		
Last Name		
ID Number (Numeric)		
Are there additional producers? (Y or N) . .		
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job		

After all multiple producer entries have been recorded on Screen PWA02000, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA02500 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

E

Mohair Multiple Producer Shares and Refused Payments

This is an example of Screen PWA02500 for:

- recording multiple producer shares
- flagging producers for refused payment.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA02500
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
MILLIE MOHAIR	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
Enter each producer's share in this WAMLAP as a whole percentage. Total WAMLAP Percent to be allocated: 100		
NAME	PERCENTAGE (%)	REFUSED PYMT
MILLIE MOHAIR	50	N
BIGGY SWEAT	50	N
<hr/>		
Press "Enter" To Continue	Cmd3=Previous Screen	Cmd7=End of Job

On Screen PWA02500:

- shares must be entered as a whole percentage and total 100 percent
- user may flag a producer on this payment for refused payment by changing default "N" flag to "Y"
- after completing entries, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA25000 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

F **Pounds of** **Mohair Screen**

This is an example of Screen PWA25000 for entering pounds of **mohair**.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA25000
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5
<hr/>		
MILLIE MOHAIR	PY 00	WAMLAP # 1
Enter the Pounds of Mohair for this WAMLAP :		
<u>Program Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Shorn Mohair</u>	
2000	10,000,000	
Press "Enter" To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job		
<hr/>		

After completing entries on Screen PWA25000, PRESS "Enter", and Screen PWA25005 will be displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

G

Mohair Payment Summary Screen PWA25005

This is an example of Screen PWA25005 that will display:

- **WAMLAP** payment summary data, as shown
- the question, “Do you want to complete this payment?”.

SIGN-UP	077-MARTINDALE	PWA25005	
WOOL AND MOHAIR MARKET LOSS ASSISTANCE	Version: AA52 10-01-00 14:06 Term	C5	
MILLIE MOHAIR	PY 00 WAMLAP #	1	
WAMLAP Payment Summary			
<u>Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Shorn Mohair</u>	<u>Payment Rate</u>	<u>Payment Amount</u>
2000	10,000,000	\$0.40	\$4,000.00
Press “Enter” To Continue Cmd3=Previous Screen Cmd7=End of Job			

If the answer is:

- “Y”, the WAMLAP application/payment statement for mohair will be printed
- “N”, the WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be re-displayed.

Continued on the next page

Notice PS-372

5 Processing Mohair Applications and Payments in One Real Time Function (Continued)

H Payment Statement

This is an example of WAMLAP application/payment statement for mohair.

Note: Continuation sheets of this statement will be printed automatically at the selected printer until all producers' information has been printed.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Commodity Credit Corporation WAMLAP Application/Payment Statement for Mohair			
Name & Address of Contact	Program	St. & Co. Codes	
MILLIE MOHAIR RR 1 BOX 74 SOMETOWN, ZZ 33333-3333	WAMLAP	28-083	
This Wool and Mohair Market Loss Assistance Program payment has been calculated based on information provided on form CCC-1155 filed by the producer(s) shown below.			
WAMLAP Number:	00001		
Payment Year:	2000		
Transaction Date:	10-01-00		
<u>Year</u>	<u>Pounds of Mohair</u>	<u>Payment Rate</u>	<u>Payment Amount</u>
2000	10,000,000	\$0.40	\$4,000.00
PRODUCER	ID NUMBER	SHARE	WAMLAP AMOUNT
MILLIE MOHAIR	777 77 7777	50 %	\$2,000.00
BIGGIE SWEAT	222 22 2222	50 %	\$2,000.00
	DATE	NAME & ADDRESS OF COUNTY FSA OFFICE	
		Martindale County FSA Office	
		Box 66, RD # 1	
		Martindale, ZZ 99992-9987	
This program or activity will be conducted on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, marital status, or disability.			

When the payment process ends, WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be re-displayed.

6 Canceling WAMLAP Payables

A

Canceling Requirements

Users may cancel **WAMLAP** payments for any **WAMLAP** application, if the payment was by:

- CCC-184 and it is:
 - available, CCC-184 will be canceled
 - not available, a receivable will be created
 - EFT and it has:
 - been queued for transmission, a receivable will be created
 - not been queued for transmission, EFT will be canceled.
-

B

Canceling Payments

To cancel WAMLAP payments, on WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000, ENTER “4”, “Canceling **WAMLAP** Payables”, and PRESS “Enter”. The following sequence will occur:

- self-explanatory Screens PWA03500, PWA03510, and PWA04000 will be displayed in that order and allow for identifying the **WAMLAP** application number and the contact producer on the application to be canceled
 - Screen PWA40000 will be displayed with the following 2 statements and 1 question:
 - “This process will cancel ALL payments (CCC-184 and EFT) issued to ALL producers on this **WAMLAP** application”
 - “Cancellation will create receivables if EFT’s were queued or if the CCC-184’s have been mailed”
 - “Do you wish to cancel this **WAMLAP** Application’s Payments? (Y or N)”
 - after completing entries on Screen PWA40000, PRESS “Enter”, and as applicable:
 - payments will be canceled
 - receivables will be created
 - WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000 will be re-displayed.
-

7 Recording WAMLAP Overpayments/Underpayments

A

Processing Corrections

A future release will provide software for, and a future notice will provide instructions for processing corrections to WAMLAP payments that have been issued to:

- change pounds of wool or mohair
 - change producer shares
 - record an overpayment and create a receivable
 - change producer name and/or ID number
 - add or delete producers.
-

8 Printing Stored WAMLAP Payment Statements

A

Stored Statements

At any time **after** WAMLAP payments have been issued, County Offices may print stored WAMLAP payment statements.

To print stored WAMLAP payment statements, on WAMLAP Processing Menu PWA000, ENTER “7”, “Print Stored WAMLAP Payment Data”, and PRESS “Enter”. Screen PWA09000 will be displayed.

On Screen PWA09000, enter the application numbers to be printed, and PRESS “Enter”. Screen PWA07500 will be displayed and allow users to:

- enter the printer ID to be used
 - enter the number of copies requested
 - PRESS “Enter” to display Screen PCE99910.
-